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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC  
AUGUST 26, 2021, MEETING**

**APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Chiropractic met on August 26, 2021, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Leigh Elceser, D.C., Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Leigh Elceser, D.C., Chairperson  
Ryan Thornton, D.C., Vice-Chairperson  
Joel Kirsch, D.C.  
Patricia Odette, D.C.  
Robyn Peake, Public Member  
Beau Taylor, Public Member

**Members Absent:** Michael Connelly, Public Member  
Cecil Forbes, D.C.  
Robert Maciolek, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Kimmy Catlin, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section  
Weston MacIntosh, Senior Policy Analyst, Boards and Committees Section  
Kerry Przybylo, Manager, Boards and Committees Section  
Rick Roselle, Analyst, Compliance Section

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION by Taylor, seconded by Peake, to approve the agenda as presented.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED



MacIntosh informed the Board that the implicit bias training requirement goes into effect on June 1, 2022.

Catlin reminded the Board to use their state email addresses.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Carl Alden, speaking on behalf of the Michigan Association of Chiropractors, said that he could help the Department with informing the profession of any updates.

Martin Brown thanked the Board and the Department for their work.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held November 10, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Kirsch, seconded by Taylor, to adjourn the meeting at 10:12 a.m.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on November 10, 2021.

Prepared by:  
Kimmy Catlin, Board Support  
Bureau of Professional Licensing

August 30, 2021

# **The Continuing Education Committee recommends approving the following programs:**

**NORTHEAST COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** – Mediherb Clinical Masterclass: Navigating the Complexities of the Immune Puzzle, live interactive, on October 15-16, 2021, for 8 hours in unclassified credits.

**PALMER COLLEGE** – Gonstead Technique, August 13-14, 2021, in Milwaukee, MI, for 18 hours in chiropractic techniques.

**PALMER COLLEGE** – Davenport Homecoming 2021, September 16-18, 2021, in Davenport, IA, for 2 hours in practice management, 6 hours in physical measures, 10 hours in chiropractic technique, 11 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 2 hours in ethics, and 54.5 in unclassified credits.

**PALMER COLLEGE**- Sacro Occipital Research Society International Homecoming 2021, on September 30- October 2, 2021, in Denver, CO, for 1.5 hours in practice management, 21 hours in physical measures, 43.5 hours in chiropractic technique, 1.5 hours in ethics, and 9 hours in unclassified credits.

**OMNI CHIROPRACTIC SEMINARS** – Chiropractic Gonstead Pediatrics/Geriatrics, on September 17 and 18, 2021, in Romulus, MI, for 2 hours in physical measures, 7 hours in chiropractic techniques, 2 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 2 hours in pain and symptom management, 1 hour in ethics, 1 hour in sexual boundaries, and 2 hours in unclassified credits.

**STANDARD PROCESS OF WEST MI** – The Nutrition Exam, December 4, 2021, in East Lansing, MI, for 2 hours in physical measures, 2 hours in performance of and ordering tests, and 4 hours in pain and symptom management.

**STANDARD PROCESS OF WEST MI** – Optimizing Internal Defenses, September 11, 2021, in Grand Rapids, MI, for 8 hours in pain and symptom management.

**NORTHEAST COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** – Don't Be Haunted by Your Design, online, on October 28, 2021, for 4 hours in unclassified credits.

**DC HOURS** - Epigenetics and Chiropractic Free Community Webinar, Live online August 19, 2021, for 1 hour in pain and symptom management.

**DC HOURS**- Immune Strategies for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Live online June 26, 2021, for 4 hours in pain and symptom management.

**DC HOURS**- Managing the Patient with Fatigue, Live online on June 10, 2021 for 2 hours in pain and symptom management.

**FETTERMAN EVENTS** – Special Hours Kinesio Taping Seminar, September 9, 2021, in Grand Rapids, September 11, 2021, in Traverse City, September 30, 2021, in Saginaw, October 30, 2021, in Marquette, MI, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques, 2 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 1 hour in pain and symptom management, 1 hour in ethics, and 1 hour in sexual boundaries.

**AMERICAN CHIROPRACTIC ASSOCIATION** – 2021 Coding Updates, Online, for 1 hour in practice management.

**NORTHEAST COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** – NYCC Alumni Weekend 2021: Learn, Connect, Lead, Live interactive, on September 17-19, 2021, for 43.5 hours in unclassified credits.

**DC HOURS** – Nutritional Medicine in Osteoarthritis, Live interactive, on October 14, 2021, for 1 hour in pain and symptom management.

**DC HOURS** – Radiology Rounds: Reducing X-Ray Anxiety, Live online, on June 17, 2021, for 2 hours in physical measures.

**HEALTHQUEST** – Testing, Technique and Successful Case Management of Today's Chiropractic Patient, on October 8-9, 2021, in Farmington Hills, MI, for 2 hours in physical measures, 3 hours in chiropractic technique, 2 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 1 hour in pain and symptom management, 1 hour in ethics, 1 hour in sexual boundaries, and 5 hours in unclassified credits.

- LIFE UNIVERSITY** – NeuroTonal Pediatric, Prenatal, and Family Analysis and Adjusting Program, on October 1-2, 2021, in Marietta, GA, for 5 hours in chiropractic techniques, 1 hour in performance of and ordering tests, and 14 hours in pain and symptom management.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - Pediatrics & Pregnancy: An Update on Chiropractic Management on August 7, in Grand Rapids, MI, and August 28, 2021, in Detroit, MI, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques, and 6 hours in unclassified credits.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - Fostering Optimal Neurodevelopment through Chiropractic: Primitive & Postural Reflexes, online, for 8 hours in unclassified credits.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - Ties That Bind: The ABC's of Tethered Oral Tissues, online from July 11, 2021, July 11, 2022, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques and 7 hours in unclassified credits.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - Ethics and Social Safety in Healthcare: Opening the Conversation about Race and Identity in the Chiropractic Office, online from August 1, 2021 – December 31, 2025, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques and 2 hours in ethics.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - ICA Upper Cervical Conference, August 13-14, 2021, in Nashville, TN (Live On-site) and August 30-December 31, 2021, online, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques and 10 hours in unclassified credits.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** – The Wave 2021, live on site, Aug 6-8, 2021, live interactive online webinar on Aug 6-8, 2021, online, on demand. Aug 30, 2021-Dec 31, 2025, online, for 3 hours in chiropractic techniques and 13.5 hours in unclassified credits.
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** - Thompson Technique - Cervical Spine, online, for 2 hours in chiropractic techniques.
- UWS/DC ONLINE** – CCSP Emergency Procedures in Sports Chiropractic on September 25 and September 26, 2021, in Overland Park, KS, for 12.5 hours in Chiropractic Techniques.
- UWS/DC ONLINE** – Course Catalog online, August 2, 2021, - August 26, 2022, for 9 hours in practice management, 16 hours in chiropractic technique, 15 hours in pain and symptom management, 2 hours in ethics, and 1 hour in sexual boundaries.
- The Continuing Education Committee recommends denying the following programs because the activity requested requires in person attendance:**
- LIFE CHIROPRACTIC COLLEGE WEST** – AMTI Advances in Management of Traumatic Injuries Module 1: Management and Documentation of MCV Injuries, online, September 1-December 2025, for 8 hours in physical measures and 17 hours in unclassified credit.
- MACOMB COUNTY CHIROPRACTIC** - Chiropractic Update 2021 (virtual) online, from October 1-December 31, 2021, for 2 hours in physical measures, 6 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 4 hours in pain and symptom management, 1 hour in ethics, 1 hour in sexual boundaries, and 3 hours in unclassified credits.
- UWS/DC ONLINE** – Course Catalog 2, online, no date provided, for 9 hours in practice management, 18 hours in physical measures, 86 hours in chiropractic technique, 19 hours in performance of and ordering tests, 26 hours in pain and symptom management, 35 hours in ethics, and 6 hours in sexual boundaries.
- DC HOURS** – Chiropractic Role in Athletic Performance and Recovery, online, from January 1-December 31, 2021, for 1 hours in physical measures and 3 hours in pain and symptom management.
- DC HOURS** - Evaluation and Management of Low Back Conditions Part 2, online, from January 1 – December 31, 2021, for 1 hour in physical measures and 1 hour in pain and symptom management.
- DC HOURS** - Evaluation and Management of Low Back Conditions Part 3, online, from January 1 – December 31, 2021, for 1 hour in physical measures and 1 hour in pain and symptom management.
- DC HOURS** – Radiology Rounds, online, from January 1- December 31, 2021, for 1 hour in performance of and ordering tests.

**The Continuing Education Committee recommends denying the following programs because there was not enough course content provided:**

**DC HOURS** – Cultural Diversity and Competency, online, no date provided, for 1 hour in practice management.